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In re application of:

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Serial No.: 09/901,074

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For: RUBBER LAMINATE AND PNEUMATIC TIRE USING THE SAME

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

January 15, 2004

Sir:

Applicants petition for an extension of time for one month for response to the outstanding Office Action dated September 16, 2003 from December 16, 2003 to January 16, 2004.

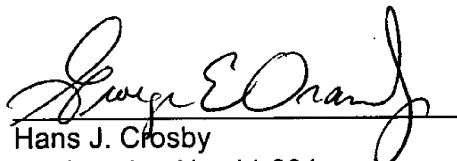
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Respectfully submitted,

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